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The reply filed 7/23/08 is acknowledged.

1. ☐ The reply filed on or after the date of filing of an appeal brief, but prior to a final decision by the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences, will not be entered because:

a. ☐ The amendment is not limited to canceling claims (where the cancellation does not affect the scope of any other pending claims) or rewriting dependent claims into independent form (no limitation of a dependent claim can be excluded in rewriting that claim). See 37 CFR 41.33(b) and (c).

b. ☐ The affidavit or other evidence is not timely filed before the filing of an appeal brief.
See 37 CFR 41.33(d)(2).

2. ☐ The reply is not entered because it was not filed within the two month time period set forth in 37 CFR 41.39(b), 41.50(a)(2), or 41.50(b) (whichever is appropriate). Extensions of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a) are not available.

Note: This paragraph is for a reply filed in response to one of the following: (a) an examiner's answer that includes a new ground of rejection (37 CFR 41.39(a)(2)); (b) a supplemental examiner's answer written in response to a remand by the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences for further consideration of rejection (37 CFR 41.50(a)(2)); or (c) a Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences decision that includes a new ground of rejection (37 CFR 41.50(b)).

3. ☐ The reply is entered. An explanation of the status of the claims after entry is below or attached.

4. ☒ Other: In response to the recent Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences decision that includes a new ground of rejection, Applicant amended independent claims 1, 21, 27 and 37 to indicate the captor computer is the computer running the browser (and eliminate the possibility of using the web server as a captor computer). However, Applicant further amended claim 21 by adding "to the server" at the end of the clause: "providing a destination address of the communication terminal having the electronic telephone directory." Nowhere in the previous claim set requires that the destination address of the communication terminal having the electronic telephone directory be sent to the server. The amendment results in a change of the scope, therefore the reply will not be entered.

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